

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

<b>IN RE: LATEX GLOVES PRODUCT LIABILITY LITIGATION,</b>	: : :	MDL Docket No. 1148 ALL CASES
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**CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER NO. 23  
CONCERNING SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONNAIRE**

AND NOW this 13th day of January, 1998 upon conference, the attached Defendants' Supplemental Product Identification Questionnaire to Plaintiffs is hereby approved. This Supplemental Questionnaire may be served only on plaintiffs who have already completed defendants' Product Identification Questionnaire to Plaintiff (Initial Questionnaire) in situations where defendants believe the information provided in response to the Initial Questionnaire will be insufficient to apply the Bright-Line Test.

The procedure set forth below shall govern the completion of product identification discovery for those cases in which defendants serve the Supplemental Questionnaire.

1. Defendants will serve selected plaintiffs with the Supplemental Questionnaire no later than January 20, 1998.
2. Selected plaintiffs will serve defendants with responses to the Supplemental Questionnaire no later than February 18, 1998.

3. Defendants will respond to plaintiffs' product identification discovery no later than March 20, 1998. These responses will be based on additional information (if any) plaintiffs provide in response to the Supplemental Questionnaire.

4. Plaintiffs will conduct and complete product identification discovery of third party witnesses and defendants' representatives (to the extent they have not already been deposed on product identification issues reflected in the attached August 29, 1997 letter) no later than May 19, 1998.

5. The parties will apply the Bright-Line Test for plaintiffs served with the Supplemental Questionnaire no later than June 18, 1998.

6. This Case Management Order modifies application of the Bright-Line Test only in cases where defendants served a Supplemental Questionnaire.

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EDMUND V. LUDWIG, .J.